(6) G.S.R. 873 (E) dated the 22nd June, 2005, regarding acquisition of land with or without structure falling within the land stretch from Km. 295.000 to Km. 338.000 on National Highway No. 76 in Bhilwara District, in Rajasthan.

(7) S.O. 1687(E) dated the 5th December, 2005, regarding acquisition of land on National Highway No. 22 on the stretches from Km. 10.740 to Km. 11.88 and from Km. 12.820 to Km. 39.960 (Ambala-Zirakpur Section) and Km.0.000 to Km.0.871 of National Highway No. 21 in District Patiala, in Punjab.

(8) S.O. 1688 (E) dated the 5th December, 2005, regarding acquisition of land on National Highway No. 22 on the stretches from Km. 5.735 to Km. 10.74 and from Km. 11.88 to Km. 12.820 of Ambala-Zirakpur section in District Ambala, in Haryana. [Placed in Library. For (1) to (8) *See* No. LT. 3718/06]

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON URBAN DEVELOPMENT

SHRIMATI SYEDA ANWARA TAIMUR (Assam): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Thirteenth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Urban Development (2005-2006) on Action Taken by the Government on the Recommendations contained in their Ninth Report (Fourteenth Lok Sabha) on *Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana*.

MATTER RAISED WITH PERMISSION

Implementation of Supreme Court judgement on Mulla Periyar Dam

SHRI P.G. NARAYANAN (Tamil Nadu): Mr. Deputy Chairman, Sir, the dispute between Tamil Nadu and Kerala about raising the height of the Mulla Periyar dam is pending for the last several years. Sir, the Central Water Commission has already certified that the dam is perfectly safe even if the height of the dam is raised to 142 feet. But, the Kerala Government is opposing this move. Now, the Supreme Court has delivered a verdict to the effect that the height of the Mulla Periyar dam can be raised to 142 feet. Now, it is for the Central Government to implement the project immediately.

I demand that the verdict of the Supreme Court should immediately be implemented in the interest of the farmers of Tamil Nadu.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Okay. Now, we take up the Special Mentions.

SHRI P.G. NARAYANAN: Sir...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Okay. You wanted to bring it to the notice of the Government. The concerned Minister is not here. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA (Jharkhand): Sir, the Special Mentions can be taken up at 2 o'clock. ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: We will finish the Special Mentions now. The Minister will come at 2'o clock. ...*(Interruptions)*...

DR. K. MALAISAMY (Tamil Nadu): Sir, we are not asking for any special favour. We want that the Supreme Court judgement should be implemented immediately. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI P.G. NARAYANAN: Sir, the Supreme Court has given its judgement. It is for the Government to implement it immediately. But, it is pending...*(Interruptions)*...

AN. HON. MEMBER: They will do that. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): So many judgements are there. ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The concerned Minister is not here...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI P.G. NARAYANAN: Sir, the Parliamentary Affairs Minister is here. He has to respond. ...*(Interruptions)*... So many Ministers are sitting here. ...*(Interruptions)*... The hon. Minister from Tamil Nadu is here. ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: It is not necessary for the Ministers to reply to it. If they choose to reply, I have no objection. But, I cannot force them to reply. ...*(Interruptions)*... It will be taken note of.

DR. K. MALAISAMY: Sir, we are not asking for any special favour. The Supreme Court judgement should be implemented. The Government should say, "Yes"...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: If the Supreme Court judgement is there, why are you worried? ...*(Interruptions)*...

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI G.K. VASAN): Sir, the Central Government is well aware that it is in the interest of Tamil Nadu. It will, definitely, be in the favour of the State because it is to a common cause.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Okay. Now, we take up the Special Mentions. Shri Lekhraj Bachani.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

Need to give approval to Gujcot Act of Gujarat State

SHRI LEKHRAJ BACHANI (Gujarat): Sir, after withdrawal of POTA, the Gujarat Government has passed Gujcot Act and sent for approval to the President and the Central Government. The Government of India suggested for making some amendments, which were also made. This Act of Gujarat is on the lines of *Moca* of Maharashtra. Gujarat is a border State, having hundreds of miles of land and coastal border. There are so many instances of terrorism and infiltration and import of illegal arms. Even the Chief Minister of Gujarat is being given threats. Question of giving approval to this Gujarat Act is pending for the last one-and-a-half years. Why is Government of India not giving approval in spite of repeated requests of the Gujarat Government? What are the reasons for delaying this matter? Hence the Government of India, the Ministry of Home Affairs, is requested to accord approval to this Gujcot Act of Gujarat State so that it can control and combat terrorism or any possibility of such happenings in the State.

Demand to check the growing market of obscene books in Delhi

श्री रुद्रनारायण पाणि (उड़ीसा) : उपसभापति जी, महान भारत की राजधानी दिल्ली में अश्लील पुस्तक-पत्रिका का बाजार खुलेआम चल रहा है। एक अनुमान के मुताबिक इस धंधे में लगे लोग एक साल में ही लाखों रुपए का मुनाफा कमा लेते हैं। इस धंधे में पुस्तक-पत्रिका के प्रकाशक से लेकर दुकानदार तक का पूरा एक गिरोह होता है। दुःखद स्थिति यह है कि शहर के लगभग हर कोने में लगी दुकानों पर लगभग दो दर्जन नामों से बिक रही इन पुस्तक-पत्रिकाओं की जानकारी सरकार को भी है। सड़कों पर, फुटपाथ पर बेची जाने वाली पुस्तकों के इस बाजार के ग्राहक, कोड वर्ड से इन्हें खरीदते हैं। ऐसी नग्न, अर्धनग्न तस्वीरों और कहानियों से भरपूर पुस्तक-पत्रिका की छपाई दिल्ली के बाहर छोटे शहरों के प्रेस आदि में होती है, लेकिन इनकी सर्वाधिक खपत दिल्ली में है। देश भर में इस तरह की पुस्तकों की सप्लाई और छपाई भी